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SUBJECT: GOJ SUPPORTS U.S. HUMAN RIGHTS CANDIDATE

REF: A. STATE 099038

[B](#). KINGSTON 001251

[1](#)1. Per Ref A instructions, Poloff on June 3 met with Pamela Ingleton, International Organizations Department (IOD), Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade (MFAFT) to again solicit GOJ support for Prof. Paolo Carozza in the June 7 IACHR elections, and to deliver talking points. As reported Ref B, Poloff previously met with Angella Brown on the subject of Carozza's candidacy on May 6. At that time, she said that a substantive response would be forthcoming, but MFAFT officials were unable to offer any definitive news in the month leading up to the election date. Ingleton welcomed the information and said she would research the issue before offering a substantive response.

[2](#)2. On June 7, Ingleton called Poloff to report that the IACHR vote had taken place, and that the GOJ had supported Carozza in the election.
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